

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

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BEFORE THE
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OF SOUTH CAROLINA

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	<input type="checkbox"/> Late-Filed Exhibit	<input type="checkbox"/> Report		



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The Honorable Jocelyn Boyd
Chief Clerk of the Commission
Public Service Commission of South Carolina
Post Office Drawer 11649
Columbia, South Carolina 29211

Re: AT&T South Carolina's Petition Requesting the Commission's
Intervention in Numbering Resources Determinations
Columbia Rate Center - Palmetto Health
Docket No.

Dear Ms. Boyd:

BellSouth Telecommunications, LLC d/b/a AT&T South Carolina ("AT&T South Carolina") respectfully encloses for filing a Petition for Review of Numbering Resources Determination in the Columbia Rate Center in the above-captioned matter. In summary:

AT&T South Carolina submitted an NXX Assignment Request via the Pooling Administration System on June 18, 2013 with a requested effective date of August 23, 2013;

AT&T South Carolina's customer requesting numbering resources is Palmetto Health;

AT&T South Carolina requested a full NXX in the Columbia exchange;¹

The request impacts the Columbia rate center;

At the time of the request, the Columbia Rate Center had a "months to exhaust" ("MTE") of 5.087 months for the relevant blocks;

¹ Due to dialing restrictions, the customer requested 803-NX7-7XXX and 803-NX7-8XXX, but the pool list does not meet this criteria.

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At the time of the request, the Columbia Rate Center had a utilization of 59.954%.

By copy of this letter, I am serving a copy of this document on all parties of record as indicated on the attached Certificate of Service.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Patrick W. Turner". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized "P" and "T".

Patrick W. Turner

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BEFORE THE
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In Re: AT&T SOUTH CAROLINA'S)
PETITION REQUESTING THE COMMISSION'S)
INTERVENTION IN NUMBERING RESOURCES)
DETERMINATIONS)
_____)

PETITION FOR REVIEW OF NUMBERING RESOURCES DETERMINATION
IN THE COLUMBIA RATE CENTER

BellSouth Telecommunications, LLC. d/b/a AT&T South Carolina ("AT&T South Carolina"), pursuant to rules adopted by the Federal Communications Commission ("FCC") for challenging numbering determinations, petitions the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("Commission") for review of a recent denial of AT&T South Carolina's application for use of numbering resources in the 803 area code. Numbering determinations are made by the North American Numbering Plan Administrator ("NANPA") and/or the Pooling Administrator ("PA"), depending on the nature of the numbering request. The FCC's rules addressing these matters, however, generalize responsibilities of the NANPA and the PA under the heading "Central office code administration,"¹ and the FCC's Orders addressing these matters allow for challenges of determinations by both entities.² Accordingly, this Petition addresses the determination described herein and asks the Commission to direct NANPA and/or the PA to provide the requested relief to the extent it is within the respective authority and responsibility of

¹ See, e.g., 47 C.F.R. §52.15.

NANPA and/or the PA to do so. The denial that is the subject of this Petition impacts AT&T South Carolina customer Palmetto Health.

In support of this Petition, AT&T South Carolina states:

1. AT&T South Carolina is a telephone utility that provides, among other things, intraLATA, local exchange telecommunications services in various portions of South Carolina, including the Columbia exchange.

2. NANPA is an independent non-governmental entity that is responsible for administering and managing the North American Numbering Plan ("NANP").³

3. The PA is an independent non-governmental entity that is responsible for administering thousands-block number pooling.⁴

4. On March 31, 2000, the FCC issued an Order relating to numbering resource optimization.⁵ The goal of the *First NRO Order* was to implement uniform standards governing requests for telephone numbering resources in order to increase efficiency in the use of existing telephone numbers and to avoid further exhaustion of existing numbers.

5. Among other things, the FCC required that, to qualify for access to new numbering resources, applicants must establish that existing inventory within the applicant's rate center will be exhausted within six months of the application. The FCC reaffirmed this

² See Third Report and Order and Second Order on Reconsideration in CC Docket No. 96-98 and CC Docket No. 99-200, *Numbering Resource Optimization; etc.*, 17 FCC Rcd 252, ¶61 (2001) ("*Third NRO Order*").

³ See 47 C.F.R. § 52.13 (a), (b).

⁴ See 47 C.F.R. §52.7(g). See also 47 C.F.R. §52.20 ("Thousands-block number pooling is the process by which the 10,000 numbers in a central office code (NXX) are separated into ten sequential blocks of 1,000 numbers each (thousands-blocks), and allocated separately within a rate center.").

requirement in two subsequent orders.⁶ Prior to this ruling, the Central Office Code Assignment Guidelines used to make code assignments required the applicant's existing number inventory within the applicant's serving switch to exhaust within six months of the code application or the carrier had to prove that it was unable to meet a specific customer's request with its current inventory of numbers in order for a code to be assigned.

6. In addition to the months-to-exhaust ("MTE") requirement described above, the FCC's rules also required carriers to meet a rate center utilization threshold of 60 percent in order to receive additional numbering resources in a given rate center.⁷ The utilization threshold has increased by five percent per year, and it has now reached the maximum of 75 percent. Based on the FCC's orders, carriers must meet both the six months MTE requirement and the utilization threshold on a rate center basis in order to obtain numbering resources.⁸

7. On or about June 18, 2013, AT&T South Carolina submitted a Pooling Administration System request for the assignment of an NXX code in the Columbia exchange to accommodate its customer's growth and existing dialing plan. In order to meet the customer's express request for numbers,⁹ AT&T South Carolina requested the assignment of an NXX code (10,000 block of numbers) in the 803 NPA.¹⁰ As AT&T South Carolina does not have the existing numbers to

⁵ See Report and Order and Further Notice of Proposed Rule Making, *Numbering Resources Optimization*, 15 FCC Rcd 7574 (2000) ("*First NRO Order*").

⁶ See Second Report and Order, Order on Reconsideration in CC Docket No. 96-98 and CC Docket No. 99-200, and Second Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking in CC Docket No. 99-200, *Numbering Resource Optimization*, 16 FCC Rcd 306 at ¶29 (2000) ("*Second NRO Order*"); *Third NRO Order* at ¶¶48-49.

⁷ See *Second NRO Order* at ¶22; *Third NRO Order* at ¶¶50-52.

⁸ *Third NRO Order* at ¶¶50-52.

⁹ See Exhibit A to this Petition.

¹⁰ See Exhibit B to this Petition.

meet the customer's request, AT&T South Carolina is requesting that the numbers be assigned to it.

8. AT&T South Carolina's application was completed in accordance with Industry Numbering Committee ("INC") guidelines, and AT&T South Carolina filled out the necessary Month-to-Exhaust Certification Worksheets as required.

9. At the time of the filing of the numbering resource request, the Columbia Rate Center had a MTE of 5.087 and a utilization of 59.954%.¹¹

10. Thereafter, also on June 18, 2013, AT&T South Carolina's request was denied because AT&T South Carolina had not met the MTE and/or Utilization criterion now set forth in the INC Guidelines.¹² AT&T South Carolina's numbering resource requests were denied despite the fact that AT&T South Carolina does not have adequate numbering resources needed to satisfy this customer's demands in the Columbia Rate Center.

11. AT&T South Carolina's inability to provide this important customer with the requested numbering resources prevents AT&T South Carolina from providing the quality of service this customer desires, needs, and expects. If AT&T South Carolina is not assigned the numbering resources needed to meet the customer's request, AT&T South Carolina will be unable to provide telecommunications services requested by its customer. The refusal to grant numbering resources sufficient to meet the needs of this customer is inconsistent with the FCC's position that "(u)nder no circumstances should consumers be precluded from receiving

¹¹ See *Id.*

¹² See *Id.*

telecommunications services of their choice from providers of their choice for want of numbering resources.”¹³

12. Both the FCC’s rules and the INC Guidelines provide that state regulatory authorities have the power and authority to review a decision to deny a request for numbering resources.¹⁴

13. Prior to the FCC’s Order and the resulting change in the INC Guidelines, the applicable MTE procedures permitted a carrier to receive a code assignment, even if the MTE requirement at the switch level was not met. These waivers or exceptions were granted where customer hardships could be demonstrated or where the service provider’s inventory did not have a block of sequential numbers large enough to meet the customer’s specific request. Under today’s procedures, numbering determinations are based on the MTE for the entire rate center without any exceptions. The FCC has determined, however, that States may grant relief “if a carrier demonstrates that it has received a customer request for numbering resources in a given rate center that it cannot meet with its current inventory.”¹⁵ In addition, the FCC has ruled that, “States...may grant requests for customers seeking contiguous block of numbers.”¹⁶

14. AT&T South Carolina requests that the Commission reverse the decision to withhold numbering resources from AT&T South Carolina because that decision interferes with

¹³ *Second NRO Order* at ¶ 61.

¹⁴ See *Third NRO Order*, Appendix A, Final Rules, § 52.15(g) (4) (“The carrier may challenge the NANPA’s decision to the appropriate state regulatory commission”); *Third NRO Order* at ¶¶ 61-66; *Central Office Code (NXX) Assignment Guidelines*, INC 95-407-009, § 13.0 (rev. April 26, 1999)(CO Code Guidelines) (“Appeals may include but are not limited to one or more of the following options: . . . C. The CO Code Administrator(s) and code holders/applicants may pursue the disagreement with the appropriate governmental/regulatory body”).

¹⁵ *Third NRO Order* at ¶ 64.

¹⁶ *Id.*

AT&T South Carolina's ability to provide telecommunication services to its customers as required under South Carolina law.

15. This Commission (see Docket No. 2002 -185-C, Order No. 2002-415) and other state regulatory agencies in Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, North Carolina, and Tennessee similarly have recognized their jurisdiction and authority to review numbering denials and to order the release of number resources to AT&T South Carolina to meet customer needs.

WHEREFORE, AT&T South Carolina requests that the Commission:

- A. Reverse the decision to deny AT&T South Carolina's request for additional numbering resources;
- B. Direct NANPA and/or the PA (to the extent it is within the respective authority and responsibility of NANPA and/or the PA to do so) to provide an NXX code in the 803 area code; and
- C. Grant the requested relief as soon as possible.

Respectfully submitted this 8th day of July 2013.



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ATTORNEY FOR AT&T SOUTH CAROLINA

BEFORE THE
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OF SOUTH CAROLINA

In Re: AT&T SOUTH CAROLINA'S)
PETITION REQUESTING THE COMMISSION'S)
INTERVENTION IN NUMBERING RESOURCES)
DETERMINATIONS)
_____)

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
COUNTY OF RICHLAND) CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned, Tanya B. Dahmer, hereby certifies that she is employed by the Legal Department for AT&T and that she has caused AT&T South Carolina's Petition for Review of Numbering Resources Determination in the Columbia Rate Center to be served by the method indicated below upon the following this July 8, 2013:

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EXHIBIT A



May 2, 2013

AT&T Business Solutions-Customer Care
Julia Porter
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Dear Julia:

Please accept this as our formal request for the entire prefix of numbers (10,000) with (XX7) having the area code 803, (prefix XX7) for our new hospital, Palmetto Health Parkridge which is currently under construction with an opening date of December 31, 2013. If there is not a prefix with the 3rd digit being a 7, then we will take any other prefix which gives us the entire block of 10,000 (excluding the 3rd digit being a 4 or a 6 which we have at our other hospitals). There are no restrictions required on the numbers.

Please let me know if there are any other requirements for this request and if you need any additional information. You can reach me at the contact information below.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "B. Stephens", with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Brad Stephens
Palmetto Health
Telecommunications
Manager, IT Network Services
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Brad.stephens@palmettohealth.org

EXHIBIT B

Pooling Administration System		• Sign Out	
Time : 06/18/2013 03:21:43 PM EDT		Printable Version	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Individual Block RequestsICO/NXX Code RequestsWithdraw Pending RequestsConfirm Resources In ServiceDonate BlocksSubmit ForecastSearch FormsReportsUser Profile	Central Office Code (NXX) Assignment Request Part 1 December 9, 2005		
	Tracking Number:	<u>803-COLUMBIA-SC-652725</u>	
		<u>Full NXX:</u> <u>Dedicated</u> <u>Customer</u>	
	Type of Application:	New 1	Change Delete
	1.0 GENERAL INFORMATION		
	1.1 Contact Information:		
	Code Applicant:		
	Company/Entity Name: <u>BELLSOUTH TELECOMM INC DBA SOUTHERN BELL TEL & TEL</u>		
	Headquarters Address: <u>500 Broad St SE</u>		
	City, State, Zip: <u>Gainesville, GA, 30501</u>		
Contact Name: <u>Rena Buttica</u>			
Contact Address: <u>500 Broad St SE</u>			
City, State, Zip: <u>Gainesville, GA, 30501</u>			
Phone: <u>770-945-9630</u> FAX: <u>770-945-9630</u>			
E-mail: <u>rw0052@att.com</u>			
Code Administrator: ²			
Name: <u>Michael Ortega</u>			
Address: <u>46000 Center Oak Plaza</u>			
City, State, Zip: <u>Sterling, VA, 20166</u>			
Phone: <u>571-434-5348</u> FAX: <u>571-434-5502</u>			
1.2 NPA: <u>803</u> NXX: ³ <u>9417</u> LATA: <u>434</u> OCN: ⁴ <u>9400</u> Parent Company's OCN(s)			
Switching Identification(Switch Entity/POI) ⁵ <u>CLMASCDF78E</u>			
Locality/City/Wire Center:		Rate Center: ⁶ <u>COLUMBIA</u>	
Homing Tandem Operating Co: ⁷ <u>AT&T</u>		Tandem Homing CLLI ⁸ <u>CLMASC60T</u>	
1.3 Dates: Date of Application: <u>06/18/2013</u>		Request Effective Date: ^{9 10} <u>08/23/2013</u>	

By selecting this checkbox, I acknowledge that I am requesting the earliest possible effective date the Administrator can grant. Please note that this only applies to a reduction in the Administrator's processing time, however the request will still be processed in the order received.

Request Expedited Treatment? Yes _____ No X

1.4 a) Type of company/entity requesting the code: Incumbent Local Exchange Carrier (ILEC) (LEC, IC, CMRS, Other)

b) Types of service: Wireline (e.g., Cellular - Type 2)

c) Code Assignment Preference (Optional) _____

d) Codes that are undesirable, if any _____

e) Type of change (Mark all that apply)

OCN-Intra-company ¹¹ Switching Id Rate Center
Tandem Homing CLLI

OCN-Inter-company ¹² Effective Date LATA
Extend Reservation

1.5 Type of Request (Initial, growth, etc.) Growth

If an initial code, attach (1) evidence of certification and (2) proof of ability to place code in service within 60 days. If a growth code, attach months to exhaust worksheet.

Pooling Indicator: ¹³ Yes No

1.6 NPA Jeopardy Criteria Apply: Yes No

1.7 Code request for new service (Explain): _____

1.8 It is the code applicant's responsibility to arrange input of Part 2 information into BIRRDs. The 45-calendar day nationwide minimum interval cut-over for BIRRDs will not begin until input into BIRRDs has been completed.

Comments: _____

I hereby certify that the above information requesting an NXX code is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and that this application has been prepared in accordance with Central Office Code (NXX) Assignment Guidelines posted to the ATIS Web Site (<http://www.atis.org/atis/clc/inc/incdocs.htm>) as of the date of this application: ¹⁴

Sr.

Rena Butticaz

Signature of Code Applicant


Specialist 06/18/2013

Title Date

- ¹ Identify type and reason for change(s) in Section 1.4(e).
- ² A list of the current Code Administrator(s) who can provide assistance in completing this form is available upon request from NANPA.
- ³ The NXX field is required for any code request in which there is a change or the NXX is being returned.
- ⁴ Operating Company Number (OCN) assignments must uniquely identify the applicant. Relative to CO Code assignments, NECA-assigned Company Codes may be used as OCNs. Companies with no prior CO Code or Company Code assignments may contact NECA (800-228-8597) to be assigned a Company Code(s). Since multiple OCNs and/or Company Codes may be associated with a given company, companies with prior assignment should direct questions regarding appropriate OCN usage to the Telcordia™ Routing Administration (TRA) on 732-699-6700.
- ⁵ This is an eleven-character descriptor of the switch provided by the owning entity for the purpose of routing calls. This is the eleven-character Telcordia™ COMMON LANGUAGE CLLI™ Location Identification of the applicant's switch or POI. (Telcordia and CLLI are trademarks and COMMON LANGUAGE is a registered trademarks of Telcordia Technologies, Inc.)
- ⁶ Rate Center name must be a tariffed Rate Center associated with toll billing.
- ⁷ Applies to any code applicant connecting to the Public Switched Telephone Network via a tandem owned by a different carrier.
- ⁸ This is an eleven-character descriptor provided by the owning entity for the purpose of routing calls. This must be the CLLI™ Location Identification Code of the switching entity/POI, and is the same on Part 2, Form 1, Page 2 of 2.
- ⁹ Code applicants should request an effective date that is at least 66 calendar days from the submission of this form. It should be noted that interconnection arrangements and facilities need to be in place prior to activation of a code. Such arrangements are outside the scope of these guidelines.
- ¹⁰ Requests for code assignment shall not be made more than six months prior to the requested effective date.
- ¹¹ Select if you are the current Code Holder
- ¹² Select if you are not the current Code Holder
- ¹³ The Applicant will indicate "YES" if the NXX being requested will be used for thousands-block number pooling and will leave this field blank if it is not.
- ¹⁴ An incomplete form may result in delays in processing this request.

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Pooling Administration System	
 rw0052@att.com (SP)	Sign Out
Time : 06/18/2013 03:22:02 PM EDT	
Printable Version	
TBPAG Attachment 1 - March 19, 2007	
Thousands-Block Application Form - Part 1A	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> Individual Block Requests<input type="checkbox"/> CO/NXX Code Requests<input type="checkbox"/> Withdraw Pending Requests<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Confirm Resources In Service<input type="checkbox"/> Donate Blocks<input type="checkbox"/> Submit Forecast<input type="checkbox"/> Search Forms<input type="checkbox"/> Reports<input type="checkbox"/> User Profile	<div style="margin-bottom: 20px;">Tracking Number: <u>803-</u> <u>COLUMBIA-</u> <u>SC-652725</u> Full NXX: <u>Dedicated</u> <u>Customer</u></div> <div>Type of Application: New Change Disconnect</div>
<u>GENERAL APPLICATION INFORMATION</u>	
1.1 Contact Information:	
Block Applicant:	
Company Name: <u>BELLSOUTH TELECOMM INC DBA SOUTHERN BELL TEL & TEL</u>	
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City, State, Zip: <u>Gainesville, GA, 30501</u>	
Contact Name: <u>Rena Buttica</u>	
Contact Address: <u>500 Broad St SE</u>	
City, State, Zip: <u>Gainesville, GA, 30501</u>	
Phone: <u>770-945-9630</u> FAX: <u>770-945-9630</u> E-mail: <u>rw0052@att.com</u>	
Pooling Administrator: ⁱⁱ	
Contact Name: <u>John Auerbach</u>	
Contact Address: <u>1800 Sutter St. Ste. 780</u>	
City, State, Zip: <u>Concord, CA, 94520</u>	
Phone: <u>925-363-8706</u> FAX: <u>925-363-7684</u>	
E-mail: <u>john.auerbach@neustar.biz</u>	
1.2 General Information:	
Check one : No LRN needed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> LRN needed ⁱⁱⁱ <input type="checkbox"/>	
NPA: <u>803</u> LATA: <u>434</u> OCN: ^{iv} <u>9417</u> Parent Company's OCN <u>9400</u>	

Number of Thousands-Blocks Requested : 10Switching Identification(Switch Entity/POI) : ^vCLMASCDF78E

City or Wire Center Name : _____

Rate Center: ^{vi}COLUMBIA

Rate Center Sub Zone: _____

1.3 Dates:Date of Application: ^{vii} 06/18/2013Requested Block Effective Date: ^{viii} 08/23/2013

By selecting this checkbox, I acknowledge that I am requesting the earliest possible effective date the Administrator can grant. Please note that this only applies to a reduction in the Administrator's processing time, however the request will still be processed in the order received.

Request Expedited Treatment? (See Section 8.6) Yes _____ No X**1.4 Type of Service Provider Requesting the Thousands-Block :**a) Type of Service Provider : Incumbent Local Exchange Carrier (ILEC)
(LEC, IXC, CMRS, Other)b) Primary type of service Blocks to be used for : Wireline

c) Thousands-Block(s) (NXX-X) assignment Preference (Optional) _____

d) Thousands-Block(s) (NXX-X) that are undesirable for this assignment , if any _____

e) If requesting a code for LRN purposes, indicate which block(s) you will be keeping(the remainder of the blocks will be given to the pool) N/A**1.5 Type of Request:**

Initial block for rate center : Yes _____ If Yes , attach evidence of authorization and proof of capability to provide service within 60 days.

Growth block for rate center : Yes X If Yes , attach months to exhaust worksheet

By selecting this checkbox, I acknowledge that I am willing to accept a block in red and explicitly understand that the underlying CO code may not yet be activated in the PSTN and loaded in the NPAC on the block effective date.

Type of change(Mark all that apply)OCN:Intra-company ^{ix} Switching Id Part 1BOCN:Inter-company ^x Effective Date

Change block : Yes _____ If Yes , list NPA-NXX-X _____

1.6 Block Return :

a) Is this block Contaminated Yes _____ No _____

b) If Yes how many TNs are NOT available for assignment : _____

c) Have all new Intra SP ports been completed in the NPAC Yes _____ No _____

d) Has this block been protected from further assignment Yes _____ No _____

Disconnect block : Yes _____ If Yes , list NPA-NXX-X _____

Remarks:

I hereby certify that the above information requesting an NXX-X block is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and that this application has been prepared in accordance with the Thousands-Block (NXX-X) Pooling Administration Guidelines(ATIS-0300066) available on the ATIS web site (<http://www.atis.org/inc>) or by contacting inc@atis.org as of the date of this application.

Rena Buttica

Signature of Block Applicant

Sr. Specialist **06/18/2013**
Title Date

Instructions for filling out each Section of the Part 1A form:

Section 1.1 Contact information requires that Service Providers supply under "Block Applicant" the company name, company headquarters address, a contact within the company, an address where the contact person may be reached, in addition to the correct phone, fax, and e-mail address. The Pooling Administrator section also requires the Service Provider to fill in the Pooling Administrator's name, address, phone, fax and e-mail.

Section 1.2 Service Providers who need a thousands-block assignment or for an Location Routing Number (LRN) are required to fill in this section. If needed for an LRN, a CO Code Application needs to also be submitted to the PA. The Service Provider should supply the Numbering Plan Area (NPA); the Local Access Transport Area (LATA), which is a three-digit number that can be found in the Telcordia™ LERG™ Routing Guide. The Operating Company Number (OCN) assigned to the service provider and the OCN its parent company. An OCN is a four-character alphanumeric assigned by Telcordia™ Routing Administration (TRA). In addition, the number of thousands-blocks requested should be supplied. The Switch Identification as well as the city or wire center name, rate center, rate center sub zone, homing tandem and CLLI™ tandem of the facilities based provider^{x1}. Explanations of these terms may be found in the footnotes.

Section 1.3 The date the Service Provider completes the application should be entered in this section, as well as the Effective Date of the requested thousands-block.

Section 1.4 Service Providers should indicate their type, e.g., local exchange carrier, competitive local exchange carrier, interexchange carrier, CMRS. The also indicate the primary type of business in which the numbering resource is to be used. Service Providers also may indicate their preference for a particular thousands-block, e.g., 321-9XXX, or indicate any thousands-blocks that may be undesirable, e.g., 321-6XXX.

Section 1.5 Service Providers indicate the type of request. Initial requests are for first applications for thousands-blocks in a rate center, growth for additional thousands-blocks in a rate center in which the applicant already has numbering resources, and provide the required evidence as ordered by the FCC.

Section 1.6 Service Providers must indicate the updated/current information in regards to contaminated TNs on the block they are returning to the pool. Blocks with over 10% contamination (101 TNs or more) shall not be returned to the pool unless they meet criteria outlined in section 9.1.2 of these Guidelines. If the block being returned is over 10% contaminated the PA shall seek a new block holder. If question c and/or d have a response of No, the request for return shall

be denied. The thousands-block applicant certifies veracity of this form by signing their name, and providing their title and date.

Foot Notes :

- ⁱ Identify the type of change(s) in Section 1.5.
- ⁱⁱ The Pool Administrator is available to assist in completing these forms.
- ⁱⁱⁱ A CO Code application will also need to be submitted to the PA.
- ^{iv} Operating Company Number (OCN) assignments must uniquely identify the applicant. Relative to CO Code assignments, NECA-assigned Company Codes may be used as OCNs. Companies with no prior CO Code or Company Code assignments should contact NECA (800 524-1020) to be assigned a Company Code(s). Since multiple OCNs and/or Company Codes may be associated with a given company, companies with prior assignments should direct questions regarding appropriate OCN usage to (TRA) (732-699-6700).
- ^v This is an eleven-character descriptor of the switch provided by the owning entity for the purpose of routing calls. This is the 11 character CLLITM code of the switch /POI.
- ^{vi} Rate Center name must be a tariffed Rate Center.
- ^{vii} Acknowledgment and indication of disposition of this application will be provided to applicant within seven calendar days from the date of receipt of this application. An incomplete form may result in delays in processing this request.
- ^{viii} Please ensure that the NPA-NXX of the LRN to be associated with this block (s) is/will be active in the network prior to the effective date of the block(s).
- ^{ix} Select if you are the current Block Holder.
- ^x Select if you are not the current Block Holder
- ^{xi} Telcordia, LERG Routing Guide, and CLLI are trademarks of Telcordia Technologies, Inc.

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<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;"> Appendix 3 </div> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Individual Block Requests <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CO/NXX Code Requests <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Withdraw Pending Requests <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Confirm Resources In Service <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Donate Blocks <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Submit Forecast <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Search Forms <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reports <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> User Profile 	<div style="text-align: right; font-size: small;">Printable Version May 16, 2008</div> <p style="text-align: center;">MONTHS TO EXHAUST and UTILIZATION CERTIFICATION WORK SHEET - TN Level¹ (Thousands-Block Number Pooling Growth Block Request)</p> <p>Tracking Number: 803-COLUMBIA-SC-652725</p> <p>Date: 06/18/2013 OCN: 9417 Company Name: BELLSOUTH TELECOMM INC DBA SOUTHERN BELL TEL & TEL</p> <p>Rate Center: COLUMBIA</p> <p>List all Codes NPA(s)-NXX(s) and Blocks NPA(s)-NXX-X(s):</p> <p>Name of Block Applicant: Rena Buttica Signature: Rena Buttica</p> <p>Title: Sr. Specialist Telephone No.: 770-945-9630 FAX No.: 770-945-9630</p> <p>E-mail: rw0052@att.com</p> <p>A. Available Numbers: 8774</p> <p>B. Assigned Numbers: 17286</p> <p>C. Total Numbering Resources: 28832</p> <p>D. Quantity of numbers activated in the past 90 days (increments of 1,000 or 10,000) and excluded from the Utilization calculation ²: 0</p> <p>List Excluded Code(s) or Block(s):</p> <table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th></th> <th>Month #1</th> <th>Month #2</th> <th>Month #3</th> <th>Month #4</th> <th>Month #5</th> <th>Month #6</th> <th>Month #7</th> <th>Month #8</th> <th>Month #9</th> <th>Month #10</th> <th>Month #11</th> <th>Month #12</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>E. Growth History - Previous 6 months³</td> <td>84</td> <td>8</td> <td>87</td> <td>76</td> <td>24</td> <td>68</td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>F. Forecast - Next 12 months⁴</td> <td>58</td> <td>58</td> <td>10058</td> <td>58</td> <td>58</td> <td>58</td> <td>58</td> <td>58</td> <td>58</td> <td>58</td> <td>58</td> <td>58</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>G. Average Monthly Forecast (Sum of months 1-6 (Part F above) divided by 6): 1724.667</p>		Month #1	Month #2	Month #3	Month #4	Month #5	Month #6	Month #7	Month #8	Month #9	Month #10	Month #11	Month #12	E. Growth History - Previous 6 months ³	84	8	87	76	24	68							F. Forecast - Next 12 months ⁴	58	58	10058	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58
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H. Months
to
Exhaust⁵
=

Numbers Available for Assignment to
Customers(A)

Average Monthly Forecast(G)

Block Requested

1

Available Numbers

8774

Months To Exhaust

5.087

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Utilization⁶ Assigned Numbers(B) - Excluded Numbers(D) X 100 =
= 59.954

Total Numbering Resources(C)-Excluded
Numbers(D)

Explanation: _____

¹A copy of this worksheet is required to be submitted to the Pooling Administrator when requesting additional numbering resources in a rate center. For auditing purposes, the applicant must retain a copy of this document.

²Quantity of numbers activated in the past 90 days is based on blocks and/or codes received from the administrator and shall be reported in increments of 1,000 or 10,000 TNs (e. g.: 2 blocks received=2,000 and 1 code received =10,000).

³Net change in TNs no longer available for assignment in each previous month, starting with the most distant month as Month #1, and Month #6 as the current month.

⁴Forecast of TNs needed in each following month, starting with the most recent month as Month #1.

⁵To be assigned an additional thousands-block (NXX-X) for growth, "Months to Exhaust" must be less than or equal to 6 months. (FCC 00-104, section 52.15 (g) (3) (iii)).

⁶Newly acquired numbers may be excluded from the Utilization calculation (FCC 00104, section 52.15 (g) (3)(ii))

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	Pooling Administrator's Response/Confirmation TBPAG Part 3	
	Tracking Number :	803- COLUMBIA-SC- 652725
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	Effective Date:	
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	Date of Response:	06/18/2013
	Service Provider Name:	BELLSOUTH TELECOMM INC DBA SOUTHERN BELL TEL & TEL
	(Telcordia TM LERG TM Routing Guide) OCN:	9417
	Parent Company OCN:	9400
	NPAC SOA SPID :	
	Pooling Administrator Contact Information:	
	John Auerbach	Phone: 925-363-8706
	Signature of Pooling Administrator	
John Auerbach	Fax: 925-363-7684	
Name (print)		
Email: john.auerbach@neustar.biz		
NPA-NXX or NPA-NXX-X :	Block Assigned: _____	
	Block Reserved : _____	
	Block Reservation Expiration Date : _____	
	Block/Code Modified : _____	
	Block/Code Disconnected : _____	
Block Contaminated(Yes or No) : _____		
If Yes,enter the number of TNs contaminated : _____		
Switch Identification(Switch Entity/POI): 1	CLMASCDF78E	
Rate Center:	COLUMBIA	
Rate Center Sub Zone:		

☒ Form Complete, request denied.

Explanation:

DR-57: You do not meet the MTE and/or Utilization requirements, therefore this request for a new code is denied. You may proceed with requesting a State Waiver from the appropriate state commission using this Part 3 denial. If you are in disagreement with the disposition of this request, please

Administration Guidelines for the appeals process.

☐ Request withdrawn.

Explanation:

☐ Assignment activity suspended by the administrator.

Explanation:












Remarks:

¹ This is an eleven-character descriptor provided by the owning entity for the purpose of routing calls. This must be the CLLI TM Location Identification code of the switching entity/POI shown on the Part 1A form (Telcordia, LERG ROUTING Guide and CLLI are trademarks of Telcordia Technologies, Inc.)

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